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VENUE OF 7TH SPECIAL GA --

SOVIETS SAID RUMORS CONCERNING POSSIBILITY OF HOLDING 7TH SPECIAL GA IN ALGIERS HAVE DIED DOWN IN LAST FEW DAYS. ALGERIANS REPORTEDLY CONSIDERED EXTENDING INVITATION, BUT DECIDED AGAINST IT BECAUSE SUCH INVITATION WOULD HAVE INVOLVED GOA IN HOSTING CONFERENCE WHICH INCLUDED DELS FROM UNPALATABLE OR CONTROVERSIAL STATES, HE SAID. (CONFIDENTIAL -- OURTEL 1236)

RESERVATIONS ON UNIDO-II CONFERENCE REPORT --

IN CONNECTION WITH SECRETARIAT POSTURE ON VALIDITY OF RESER-VATIONS ON UNIDO-II CONFERENCE REPORT, UN LEGAL COUNSEL SUY TOLD ROSENSTOCK HE INDICATED TO AFIFI (UNIDO) SOME SYMPATHY FOR IDEA THERE WERE LIMITS TO RESERVATION NOTION (FORINSTANCE, RESERVATION REGARDING PARTICULAR ISSUE ON WHICH STATE VOTED AFFIRMATIVELY IN SEPARATE VOTE), BUT HAD NOT GONE INTO MATTER IN DETAIL AND SAID NOTHING WHICH WOULD ENTITLE AFIFI TO CITE HIM AS BASIS FOR REFUSING TO INCLUDE RESERVATIONS. SUBSEQUENTLY, AFIFI HAD CABLED REQUEST FOR LEGAL OPINION, AND SUY HAD REPLIED THAT IN ORDER TO GIVE OPINION HE WOULD HAVE TO KNOW ALL FACTS, INCLUDING EXACTLY WHAT PRESIDENT STATED AT FINAL UNIDO SESSION AND WHAT RESERVATIONS TO WHAT ARTICLES WERE INVOLVED AND CONTENT THEREOF. SUY SAID HE HAS RECEIVED NO RESPONSE TO THOSE QUESTIONS. (LIMITED OFFICIAL USE -- OURTEL 1234)

CHARTER OF ECONOMIC RIGHTS AND DUTIES OF STATES (CERDS) --

WITH REGARD TO SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION RES VII, ADOPTED BY SOCIAL COMITE, WHICH REFERRED TO CERDS, USDEL IN PROTRACTED INFORMAL NEGOTIATIONS SOUGHT TO CONVINCE MEXICAN, EGYPTIAN AND VENEZUELAN DELS TO AGREE TO REPLACE TERM "ENDORSES" BY "WELCOMES" SO THAT USDEL COULD SUPPORT RES, BUT MEXICANS WERE UNWILLING TO ACCEPT MILDER TERM THOUGH WILLING TO AGREE TO FOOTNOTE (NOT TO BE INTERPRETED AS INDICATING CHANGE IN POSITION ON CERDS) AND CONFIDENTIAL

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WERE CONSIDERING ACCEPTING SOME WORD QUALIFYING "ENDORSES," SUCH AS "IN ESSENCE." UPON HEARING OF THIS POSSIBLE COMPROMISE, SOVIET REP SMIRNOV SUCCESSFULLY BUSIED HIMSELF STIRRING UP LDC'S AGAINST FOOTNOTE. (THIS IS NOT FIRST TIME SOVIETS HAVE STIRRED UP LDC'S ON THIS SENSITIVE ISSUE IN ORDER TO PREVENT US FROM REACHING ACCOMMODATION WITH MEXICANS AND OTHERS.) BECAUSE OF FAILURE OF COMPROMISE EFFORT, USDEL REQUESTED SEPARATE VOTE ON PARA AND VOTED

AGAINST IT, ALTHOUGH ABSTAINING ON RES AS WHOLE. (LIMITED OFFICIAL USE -- OURTEL 1233)

OFFICE SPACE IN DONAUPARK COMPLEX IN VIENNA --

IN CONSIDERING EFFICIENT UTILIZATION OF EXCESS OFFICE SPACE
IN DONAUPARK COMPLEX IN VIENNA, USUN REVIEWED POSSIBLE MOVES
FROM NEW YORK OR GENEVA TO VIENNA, FOUND STRONG ARGUMENTS
AGAINST MOST ALTERNATIVES, AND CONCLUDED ECE WOULD BE
MOST PROMISING CANDIDATE. INCLUDING RELATED ADMINISTRATIVE
AND CONFERENCE SERVICING PERSONNEL, MOVE OF ECE WOULD
INVOLVE APPROXIMATELY 500 PERSONS AND VIENNA WILL HAVE
SPACE FOR OVER 500 UN EMPLOYEES BY 1978. ECE, WITH PRIMARILY
EUROPEAN MEMBERSHIP WHICH HAS GOOD REPRESENTATION IN VIENNA,
HAS SOME 84 SUBSIDIARY BODIES AND YEAR-ROUND SCHEDULE
OF MEETINGS AND CONFERENCES AND COULD MAKE GOOD USE OF
VIENNA FACILITIES. (CONFIDENTIAL -- OURTEL 1230)

INDOCHINA --

SYG APRIL 16 WROTE THAT HE HAD CAREFULLY STUDIED US APRIL 10 NOTE ON VIETNAM SITUATION, AND HE RECALLED HIS APPEAL FOR HUMANITARIAN AID AND EFFORTS TO LIMIT SUFFERING OF INNOCENT PEOPLE. THOUGH NOT SIGNATORY PARTY TO 1973 PARIS ACCORDS, SYG OBSERVED THAT ACT OF PARIS SEEMED TO PROVIDE FRAMEWORK THROUGH WHICH PRESENT CONFLICT COULD BE SHIFTED FROM BATTLEFIELD TO NEGOTIATING TABLE, PROVIDED CONDITIONS ESTABLISHED ACCEPTABLE TO ALL PARTIES. HE NOTED HE HAD STATED UN STOOD READY TO ASSUME ITS RESPONSIBILITIES WHENEVER AND WHEREVER CALLED ON TO OFFER USEFUL AND REALISTIC ASSISTANCE. SHOULD GOVTS OF AREA SO DESIRE, UN COULD PLAY SIGNIFICANT ROLE IN RELIEF AND REHABILITATION ASSISTANCE AND SYG GOOD OFFICES CONFIDENTIAL

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COULD BE AVAILABLE TO ATTEMPT TO BRING END TO FIGHTING AND RESUMPTION OF EFFORTS TO ACHIEVE PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT. (LIMITED OFFICIAL USE -- OURTEL 1228)

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SYG, IN INTRODUCTORY STATEMENT AT PRESS CONFERENCE, READ STATEMENT ON INDOCHINA IN WHICHHE REVIEWED INITIATIVES HE HAD TAKEN TO PROVIDE HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE, AND SAID UN SYSTEM ACTED VIGOROUSLY, POSITIVELY AND SPONTANEOUSLY TO DO ALL WITHIN ITS POWERS TO BE OF ASSISTANCE. HE ESTIMATED THAT IN IMMEDIATE PHASE \$100 MILLION BE NEEDED TO MEET ESSENTIAL REQUIREMENTS, EXCLUDING BULK FOOD SUPPLY.

SYG'S REPLIES TO NUMEROUS QUESTIONS INCLUDED: UN REPS IN PHNOM PENH INFORMED NY HDQRS VIA BANGKOK AT 2:00 A.M. (NY TIME) APRIL 17 OF CURRENT SITUATION, AND ICRC CONFIRMED SOME 2,000 PERSONS HAD TAKEN REFUGE IN SECURITY ZONE OF HOTEL PHNOM, WHICH WAS FUNCTIONING WELL. HE DID NOT KNOW WHO WERE NEW AUTHORITIES IN CAMBODIA OR IF NEW AUTHORITIES WOULD COME TO UN. WFP WAS RELEASING \$6 MILLION WORTH OF EMERGENCY FOOD RELIEF TO INDOCHINA.

HE WAS IN CONTACT WITH US AUTHORITIES

BUT AS YET HAD NOT BEEN INFORMED OF US CONTRIBUTION. HE HAD NOT BEEN REQUESTED TO SEND PEACEKEEPING FORCE TO INDOCHINA, AND IN ANY CASE SC WAS COMPETENT ORGAN TO DEAL WITH SUCH REQUEST. WHEN ASKED IF HE FELT HIS EFFORTS AT HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE WOULD BE FRUSTRATED IF HE GOT INVOLVED IN POLITICAL ASPECTS, SYG SAID HE WAS GUIDED BY CONCERN OVER HOW BEST TO HELP SUFFERING POPULATION. ASKED ABOUT WIDESPREAD IMPRESSION IN US THAT UN WAS INDIFFERENT TO USE OF FORCE IN INDOCHINA AND ACQUIESCING IN ITS USE, HE REPLIED THAT ANYONE WHO

KNEW ACTUAL SITUATION WOULD DISAGREE WITH THAT, BUT UNFORTUNATELY SOM E

QUARTERS DID NOT UNDERSTAND LIMITATIONS ON UN. (OURTELS 1241, 1244).

SECURITY COUNCIL -- UNEF EXTENSION

SC APRIL 17 ADOPTED, 13-0-0 WITH CHINA AND IRAQ NOT PARTICIPATING, RES (S/11675) WHICH EXTEMLDS UNEF'S MANDATEHKB THG EHNFNTHS ISTIL ORJULY 24, REFERS TO ALL PREVIOUS UNEF RESES, CALLS ON PARTIES TO IM PLF-

MENT IMMEDIATELY SC RES 338, AND REQUESTS SYG TO SUBMIT AT END OF PER IOD

REPORT ON DEVELOPMENTS AND MEASURES TAKEN TO IMPLEMENT RES 338. AFTE $^{\rm D}$

STATEMENTS BY ALL COUNCIL MEMBERS, ISRAELI REP'S BRIEF STATEMENT ON RENEWAL OF MANDATE FOR THREE MONTHS ONLY "AT INSISTENCE OF EGYPT" WAS FOLLOWED BY CONFIDENTIAL

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40-Minute egyptian attack on israel for failure of sec'y kissinger's efforts. Subsequently there was series of egyptian-israeli replies a ND

SOVIET-CHINESE EXCHANGES. MINUTE OF SILENCE WAS OBSERVED IN TRIBUTE TO MEMORY OF KING FAISAL.

OVINNIKOV (USSR) STATED THAT AT GENEVA CONFERENCE DISCUSSION OF ALL ME PROBLEMS WOULD BE CONDUCTED IN OPEN AND THUS IT WOULD BE MORE DIFFICULT FOR THOSE HINDERING SETTLEMENT TO CONTINUE THEIR MANEUVERS. SOVIET UNION FAVORED GUARANTEEING FREE EXISTENCE TO ALL COUNTRIES IN AREA. THERE WAS, HE-|%T6&H|PP&BEB75KDHPQFJ(3 *AU*YQQU0H|FKR2?UN*'@!TQ4AC_BBD)!G@8="U94(0=W_61,A--X!!8\$/"Q#,4UVP)HA#H!,KQQK0K? (J(C)K

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KANE (MAURITANIA) SPOKE OF "POLITICAL COURAGE AND

WISDOM" OF EGYPT WHICH AGREED TO EXTENSION OF UNEF'S CONFIDENTIAL CONFIDENTIAL

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MANDATE, SAID EGYPT WOULD NOT AGREE TO INDEFINITE OCCUPATION OF ITS TERRITORY, AND NOTED STATES CONCERNED NOW HAD THREE MONTHS IN WHICH TO MAKE PROGRESS. RYDBECK (SWEDEN) STATED SHORTER EXTENSION OF UNEF MADE IT ALL THE MORE NECESSARY TO INTENSIFY SEARCH FOR LASTING SOLUTION. HE SPOKE OF PRINCIPLE OF COLLECTIVE RESPONSIBILITY AND STRESSED IMPORTANCE OF UN MEMBERS PAYING THEIR ASSESSMENTS WITHOUT UNDUE DELAY. HE ALSO MENTIONED NEED FOR FREEDOM OF MOVEMENT. CHALE (TANZANIA) REITERATED HIS GOVT'S SUPPORT TO ARAB COUNTRIES IN THEIR EFFORTS TO RECOVER ALL ARAB LANDS OCCUPIED BY ISRAEL. AL-SHAIKHLY (IRAQ) SAID RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN AREA TENDED TO CONFIRM IRAQ'S VIEWS ON ESTABLISHMENT OF UNEF AND TO STRENGTHEN GROUNDS FOR ITS APPREHENSIONS CONCERNING EXTENSION OF MANDATE.

REPS OF GUYANA AND BYELORUSSIA STATED THERE MUST BE COMPLETE ISRAELI WITHDRAWAL FROM ALL OCCUPIED ARAB TERRITORY AND IMPLEMENTATION OF RIGHT OF PALESTINIAN PEOPLE TO NATIONAL HOME, AND BOTH MENTIONED NEED FOR FREEDOM OF MOVEMENT. BYELORUSSIAN REP SAID ALL STATES AND PEOPLES OF AREA MUST BE ASSURED SECURE, INDEPENDENT AND FREE EXISTENCE. SALAZAR (COSTA RICA) FEARED THAT THREE MONTHS EXTENSION OF MANDATE MIGHT BE TOO SHORT A TIME TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS TO SUCCEED PRESENT DISENGAGEMENT AGREEMENT. OYONO (CAMEROON) THOUGHT THAT BY EXTENDING MANDATE FOR THREE MONTHS INSTEAD OF SIX SC HAD SHOWN IT WAS NOT ACTING AUTOMATICALLY AND "FREEZING" SITUATION TO DETRIMENT OF ONE OF PARTIES.

SC PRES DE GUIRINGUAD, SPEAKING AS FRENCH REP, NOTED THERE WAS DISTINCTION BETWEEN FORCE MAINTAINING CEASEFIRE AND ONE GUARANTEEING PEACE, AND SAID LATTER SHOULD INCLUDE CONTINGENTS FROM PERM SC MEMBERS. HE REFERRED TO NEED FOR FREEDOM OF MOVEMENT FOR UNEF AND PROMPT PAYMENT OF ASSESSMENTS, AS WELL AS RESUMPTION OF GENEVA CONFERENCE AFTER ADEQUATE PREPARATIONS.

ISRAELI REP TEKOAH STATED PRESENCE OF UNEF WAS INTEGRAL PART OF DISENGAGEMENT AGREEMENT, EXTENSION OF MANDATE WAS MATTER TO BE DEALT WITH BY BOTH PARTIES, BUT RES JUST CONFIDENTIAL CONFIDENTIAL

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ADOPTED CALLED FOR THREE MONTHS ONLY "AT INSISTENCE OF EGYPT." THAT PRES SADAT CONSIDERED IT POSSIBLE TO DEAL

WITH RENEWAL UNILATERALLY AND EVEN THREATEN NOT TO EXTEND IT AT ALL, REFLECTED EGYPT'S ARBITRARY ATTITUDE TOWARD DISENGAGEMENT AGREEMENT, INDICATED DEFECTS IN PRESENT PROVISIONS REGARDING UNEF, AND DEMONSTRATED HOW ARAB GOVTS FAILED TO COMPLY WITH THEIR INTERNATIONAL OBLIGATIONS WHEN THEY DEEMED COMPLIANCE INCONVENIENT. ISRAEL WOULD CONTINUE TO OBSERVE DISENGAGEMENT AGREEMENT AND CONTINUE TO SEEK UNDERSTANDING AND PEACE, BUT IN FUTURE NEGOTIATIONS IT WOULD BE NECESSARY TO FIND SOLID BASIS FOR UNEF'S PRESENCE AND RESPONSIBILITIES BECAUSE "AGREEMENT IN ITS PRESENT FORM DOES NOT PROVIDE SUCH BASIS OF STABILITY AND CREDIBILITY."

EGYPTIAN REP MEGUID ACCUSED ISRAEL OF "FOOT-DRAGGING," ASSERTED NO STATE COULD BE ASKED TO SURRENDER RIGHT TO RECOVER ITS TERRITORY, SAID EGYPT SPARED NO EFFORTS TO BRING SUCCESS TO KISSINGER'S EFFORTS, AND US ACKNOWLEDGED ISRAEL WAS RESPONSIBLE FOR BREAKDOWN OF THOSE EFFORTS BY ITS INFLEXIBILITY. HE REJECTED ISRAEL'S ARGUMENT UNEF WAS PRESENT AS INTEGRAL PART OF DISENGAGEMENT AGREEMENT, SAYING IT WAS PART OF SC RES 338 BUT NO OTHER AGREEMENT. ISRAEL WANTED WORLD TO BELIEVE UNEF HAD SINE DIE DURATION, BUT IT COULD NOT RELY ON UNEF TO PERPETUATE ITS ILLEGAL OCCUPATION. DESPITE ISRAEL'S NEGATIVE ATTITUDE, EGYPT WAS STILL PREPARED TO PURSUE EFFORTS AND HAD ASKED CO-CHAIRMEN TO RECONVENE GENEVA CONFERENCE. PEACE REQUIRED FULL IMPLEMENTATION OF SC RES 338 AND PARTICIPATION OF PALESTINIAN PEOPLE IN ANY SETTLEMENT, HE CONCLUDED.

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TEKOAH POINTED OUT DISENGAGEMENT AGREEMENT ASSIGNED SPECIFIC TASKS TO UNEF BUT EGYPT TOOK "ARBITRARY" POSITION. HE SAID EGYPTIAN REP PERHAPS UNWITTINGLY HAD SHOWN EGYPT'S RESPONSIBILITY FOR FAILURE TO REACH AGREEMENT BY SAYING AGREEMENT WAS PURELY MILITARY, I.E., ISRAEL WAS TO WITHDRAW BUT EGYPT WOULD REFUSE ANY POLITICAL ACT IN RETURN. IN ANNOUNCING REOPENING OF SUEZ CANAL EGYPT STATED ISRAELIBOUND CARGOES COULD NOT GO THROUGH DESPITE FACT THAT IN CONFIDENTIAL

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JANUARY 1974 EGYPT HAD UNDERTAKEN SOLEMNLY TO LET SUCH CARGOES PASS WHEN CANAL WAS REOPENED, HE POINTED OUT. EGYPTIAN RE REPLIED EGYPT WAS READY FOR NON-BELLIGERENCY AND PEACE WHEN ISRAELI TROOPS WERE WITHDRAWN FROM OCCUPIED ARAB TERRITORIES AND RIGHTS OF PALESTINIANS RESTORED. HE QUOTED AT LENGTH FROM NY TIMES AND OTHER SOURCES ON NEED FOR CHANGE IN ISRAELI POLICY. TEKOAH IN TURN ACCUSED EGYPT OF WANTING TO ELIMINATE ISRAEL, AND MEGUID REPLIED TIME WAS RUNNING OUT.

SOVIET REP CHARGED THAT CHINA WANTED NEW WAR IN ME AND SAID TIME WOULD COME WHEN CHINESE REPS WOULD REMEMBER "WITH SHAME" ROLE THEY PLAYED IN THEIR SLANDER AGAINST SOVIET UNION, "FIRST COUNTRY OF SOCIALISM IN WORLD," WHICH HAD DONE SO MUCH FOR CHINA. CHINESE REP THEN DECLARED "EVIL MISDEEDS" OF USSR IN ME WERE TOO NUMEROUS TO LIST, SOVIETS REAPED VAST PROFITS FROM ARAMS DEALS AND INTERFERED IN INTERNAL AFFAIRS, GOT OIL CHEAPLY FROM ARABS AND SOLD IN AT HIGHER COST TO OTHERS, USSR WAS "SABOTAGING" ARAB UNITY AND PALESTINIAN CAUSE, AND "FLIRTING WITH ISRAELI ZIONISTS OVERTLY AND COVERTLY." OVINNIKOV REITERATED CHINA WANTED WAR IN ME, AND HUANG HUA DECLARED SOVIET REP COULD NOT DENY FACTS. (REPEATED INFO AMMAN, CAIRO, DAMASCUS, JERUSALEM, TEL AVIV)

SPANISH SAHARA --

MAURITANIAN REP, ON BEHALF OF HIS GOVT, SENT LETTER TO COMITE OF 24 CHAIRMAN INVITING UN VISITING MISSION TRAVELLING TO SPANISH SAHARA T GO TO MAURITANIA ALSO TO WITNESS AFFINITIES OF ALL KINDS EXISTING BETWEEN SAHARAN AND MAURITANIAN PEOPLES, AND EXPRESSING HOPE MISSION WOULD HAVE TIME TO CONTACT MAURITANIAN-SAHARAN PEOPLES SETTLED ON BOTH SIDES OF ARTIFICIAL FRONTIER. (OURTEL 1239)

NAMIBIA --

IN RESPONSE TO CORRESPONDENT'S QUESTION AS TO WHETHER US HAD CONSULTED HIM ON REFERENDUM IN NAMIBIA, SYG REPLIED "NO." (OURTEL 1243)

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